

POWDER FATALLY BURNS FIVE

MAN DROPS CIGAR INTO BOX OF EXPLOSIVE IN CROWD OF BOYS.

Seven of them are frightfully burned, and only two are expected to recover. Man Escapes Unhurt in the Excitement—Detectives are Seeking Him.

Seven boys were badly injured and five of them probably die as the result of an explosion of powder at North Sixth street and Wythe avenue, Williamsburg, last night.

The residents of the district are Germans and Poles, and the boys of the neighborhood had been setting off their fireworks at one spot most of the day. Many firecrackers had failed to explode and the boys had extracted the powder and put it into a box. The box, about a foot square and six inches deep, at 9 o'clock last night contained several pounds of powder.

When the supply of firecrackers was exhausted the boys decided to wind up the celebration by exploding the box. They were cautious enough about it. They carried the box to the middle of the street and then got the stub of a candle. One boy put the candle on top of the powder and lighter it. The other boys, about thirty of them, stood off, waiting for the candle to burn down to the powder.

Before that happened, however, a gust of wind blew out the candle. The boys waited a few moments to see that there was no danger of an explosion, then gathered around the box. While they were debating who should have the honor of lighting the candle a man staggered out of a saloon at the corner. He pushed his way into the group of boys and asked them what they were doing. They paid no attention to the intruder.

"I'll fix it for you," he said, taking a lighted cigar from his mouth. Then he dropped the cigar into the box and instantly there was an explosion that shook the neighborhood. The boys were scattered, about a dozen who were close to the box being knocked to the ground.

Seven of them were unconscious, the others being able to rise although burned. The clothes of some had been set on fire. The explosion caused much excitement and in a few minutes the crowd was so great that Capt. Gallagher of the Bedford avenue station sent out the reserves.

Ambulances were called and Drs. Dorne, Dangler and Rarick responded from the Williamsburg Hospital, and Drs. Cohen and Dean from the Eastern District Hospital. The clothes had been burned off the bodies and their bodies were scorched and disfigured.

The seven boys most seriously hurt are:

Joseph Walters, 16, of 95 North Sixth street.

Walter Manner, 16, of 92 North Sixth street.

John Alwitz, 8, of 95 North Sixth street.

Andrew Kreyket, 13, of 97 North Sixth street.

John Rusanski, 13, of 97 North Sixth street.

Thaddeus Rusanski, 4, of 87 North Sixth street.

William France, 11, of 88 North Sixth street.

The doctors decided that all the boys, with the exception of Francis and John Rusanski, would probably die.

Capt. Gallagher instructed his detectives to find the man responsible for the explosion. None of the children had paid much attention to him, although he was seen running down the street after the explosion. He is supposed to have been a stranger in the neighborhood.

The Fourth of July casualties were fewer yesterday than in previous years, judging from the reports of the accidents that reached the police. At this time, one boy, one person, lost his life by a stray bullet, soon after midnight. Eleven others were hit by stray bullets. One child and one woman. None was seriously hurt, but they all went to hospital.

The police heard of twelve persons who needed hospital attention from powder burns, but the number who sought drug store aid was large.

John Terence, 18 years old, of Brighton, Staten Island, had his right arm blown off at the elbow by the explosion of a toy cannon.

Julius Metz, 63 years old, a grocer, of 33 Second avenue, was riding in an open Third Avenue car last night when a giant firecracker was thrown under the seat at 125th street. It set fire to Metz's trousers and he jumped from the car and told the elevated railroad pillar, breaking his left leg. He was taken to the Harlem Hospital.

During the twenty-four hours there were sixty-one fires. The firemen in Manhattan were kept on the jump all day. Most of the fires were trifling, the larger number being awnings set ablaze by firecrackers.

There were a good many arrests for carrying revolvers without licenses and discharging revolvers in the streets. Thirty-five men and boys were arrested on these charges in Essex Market court. The West End court had nine such prisoners.

Six persons were accidentally shot in Brooklyn by celebrators yesterday. Of this number two women as they were walking in the street stopped bullets. One boy lost his right hand in playing with a cannon, and another boy was burned. The police heard of ten children who were suffering from powder burns. Altogether seventy-five ambulances calls were received at Brooklyn police headquarters.

John Dezzana, an Italian, was sitting at an open window on the third floor of 151 Twentieth street, Brooklyn, last night, when a bullet hit him in the right temple. He was removed to Soney Hospital, and his condition is critical.

Seven-year-old Martin Coe of 378 Baltic street, Brooklyn, was shot in the back in front of his own house last night by a bullet fired, the police say, by Robert Jack, 35 years old, of 378 Baltic street. The boy was taken to the Brooklyn Hospital and Jack was arrested.

John Lawlor, a laborer, 35 years old, of 43 West Seventy-fifth street, was crossing Second avenue at Seventy-fourth street last night when he was shot in the abdomen by a stray bullet. He was taken to the Presbyterian Hospital in a critical condition.

The 20th Century—12 Hours—Chicago.

The 20th Century Limited of the New York Central leaves New York daily at 3:30 P. M. and Chicago at 3:30 P. M. The return train leaves Chicago for New York at 3:30 P. M. and New York at 11:30 P. M. No excess fare—Adm.

The Second Empire.

A new fast train on the N. Y. Central leaves Grand Central Station 1:27 P. M., arrives Albany 4:45, Syracuse 9:00, Rochester 9:30, Buffalo 11:10 P. M. No excess fare—Adm.

HURT FIRING 5-INCH RIFLE.

Two Soldiers on Governors Island Badly Injured.

They fired the national salute of forty-five guns at Governors Island yesterday with an interruption of five minutes in which the men behind the guns helped to assist the wounded to the hospital.

The saluting battery consisted of four 5-inch rifles, intended for use against any enemy that might be able to elude the big ship destroyers at Sandy Hook and the Narrows. Gun No. 1 had been fired and gun No. 2 was just about to fire as the men of gun No. 1 showed in a fresh blank cartridge. As Cornelius F. Harrington of Company H, Eighth Infantry, slammed to the breach lock of No. 1 there was an explosion. The charge of the gun, ignited, it is supposed, by the back draft of fire burst thunderously from the breach. Harrington was blown back about twenty feet. Nearly every bit of his clothing was torn away and the lower part of his right arm was shattered. He received other wounds of the face and breast that the post surgeon said last night will probably kill him.

Sergeant Frank Webb, who had charge of the gun crew, was also hurt from his feet and seriously burned. The wounded men were picked up by their comrades and taken to hospital. The excitement subsided within five minutes, and the gun crews went on with firing the salute to the birth of the nation as if it were little more than an everyday thing to lose two comrades. Gun No. 1 was out of commission for the rest of the day. There will be an investigation of the explosion.

DUMDUM BULLET MYSTERY.

Mrs. Clemens Dies of Her Wound—Her Neighbors Hunt With Police.

PHILADELPHIA, July 4.—Mrs. George W. Clemens of 5616 Morton street, Germantown, who was wounded at her home on Monday night by a dum dum bullet from a Krag-Jorgensen rifle, that came from an unknown and mysterious source, died early to-night in the Germantown Hospital.

Not content to remain idle, though every available man of the Germantown police station had been searching the neighborhood of the Clemens home, under the personal supervision of Lieut. Buchanan for a clue to the identity of the person who fired the shot, the residents of the neighborhood have joined in the hunt.

Florence Hansberry, 14 years old, of 304 Ashmead street, who was shot in the left leg by a dum dum bullet about fifteen minutes after Mrs. Clemens was fatally wounded, is recovering at the Germantown Hospital, although still suffering from shock. Detectives Dwyer and Cameron of Capt. Donaghy's staff, who are working the case, searched a little carpenter's shop that had been fitted up on the second floor for the invalid boy. No result again.

This isn't the first jewelry robbery that has disturbed the Higginson household. A year ago Miss Dorothy, who had been visiting in Oyster Bay, returned home carrying some money and jewelry valued at \$1,000 in a belt around her waist. She placed the belt on her dresser at home and joined the other members of the family at dinner. When she went upstairs again the jewelry and money were gone. The police of the West Thirtieth street station were then notified, but the case was never cleared up. Miss Higginson said yesterday that the amount of the theft was nowhere near \$25,000.

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POLICE DON'T FIND JEWELS.

THE HIGGINSONS SEND DETECTIVE AWAY FROM THE DOOR.

Jewelry Similarly Missing in the House a Year Ago and Never Recovered—Police Were Called in Then Also—Odd Circumstances of the Case.

Little progress was made yesterday by the police in their search for the many thousands of dollars worth of jewelry missing on Saturday from the house of James J. Higginson at 19 East Forty-first street. In fact, the family showed a disposition yesterday to exclude the police from the premises. The police of the West Thirtieth street station lay this to the resentment of suggestions from the detectives. Yesterday Detective-Sergeant McCafferty was turned from the door by the family and was told that his interference was not desired.

The family was arranging to move to Ardley this week. Mrs. Higginson and her young invalid son, Thomas, went to Ardley to get things in order on Friday. Miss Dorothy Higginson stayed at home to superintend the packing. She was assisted by the upstairs maid. At a little after 12 o'clock she went into her bedroom on the third floor, where there is an old fashioned writing desk in which she and her mother always kept their jewelry, and threw into it several rings.

She went downstairs and was not in the upper part of the house again. Mrs. Higginson and the boy came in and some time after lunch Miss Higginson discovered that the desk had been forced open and that the jewels had been taken. The desk had been forced with a small screwdriver apparently belonging to the house. This was picked up on the floor near by. Word was sent to the Tenderloin station. Detectives Harvey and Kirk went to the house. Miss Dorothy told them that she and the dining room girl were busy preparing luncheon when Mrs. Higginson and Tommy came home. She was positive that the jewelry was in the writing desk at noon, for at that time she had just put several rings from her hands there. The dining room girl's trunk was searched that day with her consent, although Miss Dorothy said that to suspect her was ridiculous.

On Monday the detectives were summoned again to search the trunk of another servant who had declined (some time previously) to go into the country with the family. Again no result. Miss Dorothy did everything possible to aid the police, and at the suggestion of the detectives she searched a little carpenter's shop that had been fitted up on the second floor for the invalid boy. No result again.

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PHILADELPHIA RAID SCANDAL.

Friends of Women Prisoners Trying to Save Them From Further Shame.

PHILADELPHIA, July 4.—Pressure of the strongest kind is being brought to bear on the Magistrates who committed the women caught in the great raid of Saturday night, and upon District Attorney John C. Bell, to release them from the city jail.

There were women caught in the raid, and some of them are still in Moyamensing prison, who belong to the foremost families of Philadelphia. Their escorts were men of wealth and position. It is these men who through their affiliation, social and political, are bringing weight to bear upon the District Attorney to cause the quashing of the indictments.

It is a new ruling in the conduct of raids that has caused the condition. Heretofore only the proprietors of the brothels have been held, the inmates escaping with slight fines. The houses of assignment were never touched. Before the raid of Saturday night each Magistrate was instructed to hold every woman caught in jail for court.

Moyamensing prison, where a number of women still are through inability of escorts to secure bail secretly, is besieged by the same influences. A prizefighter to-day went bail for a woman he said was his sister. The woman has every mark of breeding. The prizefighter was simply a go-between.

AUTO BURNS DESPITE SETTERS.

University Clubmen and Three Siphons Fall to Burn Blazing Car.

Touring car No. 10,653 was left before the residence of H. McKay Twombly at Fifty-fourth street and Fifth avenue last evening while three men who came to the car to get a drink of water, were driven off by a siphon and were in the vicinity of the gasoline tank.

In the course of time a man emerged from the University Club and started the machinery. The first principle of this operation is to throw an electric spark into contact with a reasonable amount of gasoline. The driver sent the electricity into all the gasoline.

Many men came from the club on the heels of the explosion. Some of them carried siphon bottles. Others who looked like waiters had pails of water. Neither siphon nor bucket brigade was effective against the flames. Policeman Taylor turned in an alarm after the failure of the volunteer company and the fire was put out under the direction of Battalion City Gray.

No one would tell to whom the machine belonged. It was practically ruined and it seemed to be the idea of the club contingent that it didn't make much difference who owned the remains.

Later in the evening Acting Captain Bingham of the East Fifty-first street station said that the owner was J. B. Baker of 8 West Fifty-seventh street. In the automobile list F. A. Campbell is named as the owner of No. 10,653.

BLANES CASSIDY'S AUTO.

Black Says Borough President Was in It When It Tipped His Carriage.

FAR ROCKAWAY, July 4.—Robert Black, who lives at Healy and Bay View avenues, Far Rockaway, is at his home suffering from serious injuries received last evening through his carriage being overturned by an automobile. Mr. Black says that the auto is the property of Joseph Cassidy, Borough President of Queens. He says that Mr. Cassidy was in it at the time of the accident, but that his driver, Harold Foss, was steering.

Mr. Black was sitting in his carriage, which was standing near the sidewalk on Roanoke avenue, talking to a friend, when the automobile came down Sheridan boulevard and swung into Roanoke avenue. Mr. Black says it was going at a high rate of speed. On turning into the avenue the machine ran into the rear of the carriage, hitting it squarely and turning it over completely. Mr. Black was pitched out. He was taken to his home, where he was attended by Dr. M. S. Caldwell. The doctor found that Mr. Black had sustained serious internal injuries.

Harold Foss was arrested recently by Bicycle Policeman Ennis, who alleges that he found him traveling in the auto in Far Rockaway without a number on it. The auto was for the last time seen after Foss failed to appear. He will come up again on Friday. To-day's accident was not reported to the police.

GOV. CARTER BACK FROM HAWAII.

Will See President Roosevelt and Discuss His Resignation.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 4.—Gov. Carter of Hawaii, who recently astonished his friends and enemies by sending his resignation to the President, arrived to-day on the steamer Alameda. Advice from the islands says that no political act for years has created so much excitement. Cable messages came from rich planters abroad and most of the influential men in Honolulu urged Carter to reconsider his action. From the other islands, however, came unmistakable evidence of his unpopularity outside of the plantation owning interests. Even in his own party he has many enemies.

Carter declares that his resignation was not due to the last election, but to a series of events which he doesn't name. This series includes legislative overriding of his vetoes on several important matters, the decision of the Supreme Court upholding the county act which he had vetoed and called a "gold brick," and finally the action of the people in defeating his personal candidate for Sheriff and electing A. M. Brown, whom he was anxious to defeat.

Among the prominent candidates to succeed Carter are W. O. Smith, Attorney-General under the republic; H. P. Baldwin of Alexander & Baldwin; H. E. Cooper, Secretary of the Territory; and L. E. Pinkham, president of the Health Board.

Gov. Carter is to see the President and explain his resignation.

BOYS EXPLODE BOMB IN CAR.

Pleasant Crowd Panics Stricken by Terrific Report.

A party of boys at Myrtle avenue and Fifth street, Brooklyn, yesterday were a party of iron. They were carrying explosives with a lighted fuse attached, into a crowded car of the Myrtle avenue line.

The bomb exploded with a terrific report. The car was filled with women and children going to a picnic, and panic followed. Several women fainted and many jumped from the moving car.

Capt. Becker sent half a dozen policemen to the scene, but before they could arrive the car had been crushed by the explosion. Several women and children and two men were hurt, but none required medical aid. The boys escaped.

PRESIDENT'S TRAIN STARTS.

WILL BE IN CLEVELAND AT 9 A. M. FOR THE HAY FUNERAL.

Ellis Root and Attorney-General Moody Board in Jersey City and Several Cabinet Members at Philadelphia—Train Attracts Little Attention.

President Roosevelt left Jersey City at 5:45 yesterday afternoon on a Pennsylvania special train to attend the funeral of Secretary Hay. The President, Secretary Loeb and two Secret Service men left Oyster Bay at 9:30 in a special Long Island Railroad train, made up of President Peters's private car and a day coach. A crowd was at the station. At 4:25 the train reached Long Island City, where a squad of police held back the cheering multitude. The President lifted his hat and greeted the crowd plentifully, waving particularly at two small children held up for him to view. A number of Secret Service men, in charge of Agent Flynn, and many Central Office detectives closed in behind the President and followed him on board the Long Island Railroad transfer boat at Wyandott.

The river craft along the route whistled salutes as the boat passed. She reached the Adams Express pier of the Pennsylvania Railroad at 8:10. Chief Murphy of Jersey City had a squad of police in waiting there to escort the President. Attorney-General Moody, Ellis Root and Paul Morton boarded the Pennsylvania train at Jersey City. The train was made up of the private cars Magnet and Sheldahl, the dinner Oberlin and the buffet car John. Eighteen Pullman cars followed. Senator Philander C. Knox should board the train at Seawick, Pa., his summer home. Lyman J. Gage, who is now in Massachusetts, could not return in time to join the President's train. He will go to Cleveland by the Lake Shore. The President's train is scheduled to reach Cleveland at 9 o'clock this morning.

PHILADELPHIA, July 4.—The President, Mr. Moody, Mr. Root, Mr. Morton and Mr. Loeb spent the time from New York to Philadelphia in the observation car Magnet. The President's special passed three or four baseball games, a parade or two and an occasional village celebration, but the train aroused little curiosity.

At West Philadelphia all the members of the present Cabinet, except Attorney-General Moody, who already was on the train, and Secretary of War Taft, who is on his way to the Philippines, boarded the train. In the party were Postmaster-General Cortelyou, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte, Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock, Secretary of Commerce and Labor McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury Shaw and Surgeon-General Rixey. John D. Long, ex-Secretary of the Navy, is ill, and the President received word yesterday that he would be unable to attend the funeral.

IRON STRIKE AVERTED.

Renewal of Agreement Keeps 50,000 Structural Workers at Work.

The officers of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers announced yesterday that a strike of 50,000 housemiths throughout the country has just been averted by the National Association of Erectors of Structural Steel and Iron signing an agreement with the union for a year.

The last agreement expired some time ago, and according to the officers of the union the question of renewing it has been repeatedly by the employers, who finally declined to make any agreement.

A strike had actually been called in some cities, when a conference was arranged between the officers of the union and the association, and the agreement of last year was renewed, continuing the present wages of \$4.50 a day.

NEW CUNARDERS TO DOVER.

Company Decides to Use That Port Instead of Liverpool.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE SUN. LONDON, July 4.—The Cunard Steamship Company, owing to its dissatisfaction with the treatment it has received from the Mersey Dock Board, has decided that its two big new steamers will use Dover as their port instead of Liverpool.

It is stated that they can be coaled as cheaply at Dover as at Liverpool, while the former port will give an obvious advantage to passengers bound for London or the Continent.

GRAPPLE AND DROWN.

Two Canoeists Who Could Swim Lost in Pawtuxet River.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 4.—An attempt to change places in a canoe proved fatal to two of a party of three young men on the Pawtuxet River this afternoon. Daniel J. Sullivan, Frank Riley and M. J. Boylan hired a canoe at Rhodes-on-the-Pawtuxet at 1 o'clock this afternoon and after paddling while they decided to change places. The boat tipped over, throwing the men into deep water 20 feet from shore. Sullivan and Riley grappled and saved. Their bodies were recovered about half an hour after dark but efforts at resuscitation were futile.

Boylan fell clear of his companions and struck out for another canoe about twenty feet away. When he reached it his efforts to clamber in caused a second capsizing and two men, his companions struggling into the water. They reached the shore with Boylan and left the vicinity without giving their names. Sullivan and Riley were fair swimmers.

TAFT PARTY IN SAN FRANCISCO.

San Francisco, Cal., July 4.—Secretary Taft and his party arrived here at 5 o'clock this evening and were at the Palace Hotel.

Secretary Taft visited the Mare Island navy yard and inspected Carquinez Strait, where the Southern Pacific Railroad had made application to build a bridge, thus removing the necessity for using the boat Solano, which transports an entire train at one trip.

Something Doing on Mars; Help Yourself.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., July 4.—A telegram has been received at the Harvard College Observatory from Prof. Lowell at Flagstaff, Ariz., stating that there was a projection on terminator Mars on Sunday near Protonia; position angle nineteen degrees.

Shot Near the Heart by His Friend.

Max Discher of 533 West 133d street accidentally shot his companion, Harry Monk of 178 Christie street, while playing with a revolver on the Staten Island ferryboat Caslethon yesterday. The bullet struck Monk in the left breast near the heart. He was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital, where it is said he may not recover. Discher was arrested and held without bail.

T. P. SHONTS ARRESTED.

President of the Panama Canal Commission Exceeded Speed Law.

STAMFORD, Conn., July 4.—T. P. Shonts of Chicago, president of the Panama Canal Commission, was arrested here this afternoon for violation of the automobile speed law. He had a party of women with him and did an eighth of a mile in 22 seconds. He put up a bond to secure his appearance in court. He was on the way to his summer home at Greenwich at the time.

RED FLAG IN WILLIAMSBURG.

Singing Societies' Parade Under It—Our National Flag in Line.

The red flag predominated in the parade in Williamsburg yesterday of the Workingmen's Singing Societies of the North Eastern States. The societies began a four days festival in the Labor Lyceum on Saturday. There were about 2,000 men in the parade and a fair sprinkling of women. Each carried a red flag. The procession, which formed in the Labor Lyceum on Willowough avenue, was in six divisions, and M. Routhier was the grand marshal. A great cheering was done at the head of the column and beside the flag bearer marched a policeman.

All along the line of march to Ridgewood Park the paraders waved the red flag and cheered for it. The Brooklyn Turn Verein Vorwaerts also had a big red flag which it displayed prominently, while the only national flag was carried by a society from New Jersey near the tail end of the parade.

CAR HITS AMBULANCE & HURT.

Surgeon Hurled Into a Crowd of Women and Children.

An ambulance from the Hudson street hospital was struck and overturned by a Sixth Avenue car at Reade and Centre streets yesterday.

Dr. T. Harris Cherry was hurled from the ambulance ten feet, into a group of women, children and lunch baskets waiting for a car at the corner. He was taken unconscious to the hospital, where it was found he was suffering from concussion of the brain, two severe scalp wounds and three broken ribs.

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